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Mr. Josef Korbel, Director
Social Science Foundation
University of Denver
Denver 10, Colorado

Dear Mr. Korbel:

I sincerely appreciate your letter of 14 July inviting me to address the Social Science Foundation some time in November, or in January, February or March 1961.

Unfortunately, at this time I cannot make a commitment so far in advance, attractive as the prospect is of joining you for a weekend in the Rocky Mountains. I have no plans to visit in your state, but should something materialize, I will certainly let you know in advance.

I do remember meeting you when you spoke before the Council of Foreign Affairs and perhaps we will have an opportunity to get together again before very long.

With every best wish.

Sincerely,

Handwritten initials
Allen W. Dulles
Director

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July 14, 1960

AIRMAIL

Mr. Allen W. Dulles, Director
Central Intelligence Agency
2430 East E Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Attention:

Dear Mr. Dulles:

I am taking the liberty of inquiring whether you would be good enough to consider our invitation for a public lecture sponsored by the Social Science Foundation, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado.

The Social Science Foundation has been active for many years in high caliber adult education in world affairs, in addition to teaching and research in the field of international relations, and has arranged every year a series of public lectures before a selected and internationally minded audience by prominent lecturers such as Sir Anthony Eden, Charles Malik, and Ralph Bunche. For the forthcoming academic year we intend to arrange four lectures on the subject, "The United States Foreign Policy and the Communist Challenge." This general topic would be divided into four subjects--the ideological, diplomatic, economic, and military challenges. We would be most profoundly grateful if you would find it possible to accept our invitation to give an address on the topic of the Economic Challenge. As to the dates, we would be only too anxious to adjust ourselves to your schedule, which I know is overcrowded, if a day, preferably Monday, would be convenient to you in November, 1960 or January, February, or March, 1961.

I am fully aware of the overwhelming demands on your time but I humbly hope that you may find it possible to be of such invaluable assistance to us in our task of keeping Americans living in this important area informed about crucial problems of our times. As you know, the Air Force Academy and NORAD Headquarters are located only a few miles away from Denver. It has occurred to me that you may like to connect a lecture in Denver with a visit with them. Also, if you could consider spending a weekend in the Rocky Mountains we would be most honored to be your host.

2--Allen W. Dulles, Washington, July 14, 1960

May I be allowed to mention that I had the privilege of meeting you several years ago when I spoke on Yugoslavia before the Council on Foreign Relations in New York.

In the hope that you will find it possible to give to our invitation favorable consideration, I am

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Josef Korbel".

Josef Korbel
Director

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